

County of Los Angeles

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July 30, 2007

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

CUSTODY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES DIVISIONS - STAFFING

Over the past several years, your Board has allocated additional funds to provide increased staffing in our custody facilities. The additional personnel allowed us to open more beds along with increasing the safety and security of the inmates and staff.

As of June 30, 2007, due to the Department's aggressive recruitment and hiring, we were able to fill all the deputy sheriff items in Custody and Correctional Services Divisions. As you are aware, we received an additional 187 deputy items for Fiscal Year 2007-08, in these divisions. Based on the number of deputy trainees currently in academy classes, these new items should be filled by the end of September 2007.

If you have any questions, please contact Division Director Victor Rampulla at (323) 526-5357

Sincerely,

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SHERIFF